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··GOSSIP··

IT PLEASED.—Our big illustrated edition which came out last week seemed to please everybody, and many were the compliments passed on the excellence of the work. The illustrations and portraits of citizens were particularly good and the groups of pretty girls and married ladies came in for a good share of admiration. Mr. Elliott, the writer of the edition, I understand, has gone to Maysville, where he will get out a similar work for one of the papers at that place.

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GRATIFYING.—It was most gratifying to the friends and promotors of the water works and electric light enterprise to note the overwhelming victory for the appropriation when the vote was counted at last Saturday's election. Out of 168 votes cast only three were recorded against. There were, of course, quite a number of voters supposed to be opposed to the movement who refused to vote and were thereby counted as being against, but no particular effort seemed to be made on the part of any one to defeat the movement.

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BASE BALL.—Interest in base ball among local players and admirers of the game is being aroused considerably of late, and the "second nine" of this place have organized and have announced that they are prepared to meet all comers. On last Thursday they had an engagement to meet the Bardstown team on the home grounds, but the latter failed to show up. They played a picked nine composed of some of the members of the old first nine and the result was a decided victory for the younger team. The second nine also won a good game from a picked nine at St. Rose last Sunday afternoon which second victory has contributed largely towards a further enlargement of the heads of the members.

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DON'T.—Your pardon, ladies, but I want to whisper a warning in your ear. When you are out on business, or dressed in all your finery ready to make a call—or a mash, may be—don't, for heaven's sake don't, some of you hold your skirts quite so high. You must not take literally the advice the wicked brother gave his debutante sister when she asked what was the proper height to lift her skirts. "A little over two feet," he said. It is necessary to hold the dress up sometimes, but if women only realized it, there are very few of them who do it gracefully. It is not objectionable to see a woman lift her dress just enough to escape the dust of the street, and, if need be, show a glimpse of silken ruffles or dainty embroidery, and neatly clad feet; but it is not pleasant to see soiled skirts; shoes worn or run down at the heel, and maybe a glimpse of stocking above the shoe. I am not an advocate for trailing skirts and all that, but a believer in being temperate in all things, even to the length of the dress. If some women could see themselves as others see them, they would practice the art of holding up their skirts before the mirror in the privacy of their dressing room, or else get the dressmaker to cut the skirt so it will not be necessary to hold it up.—Exchange.

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CLEVELAND-HART.—The following communication from Nashville will be of local interest: "Wednesday night, June 10, at the conclusion of the prayer-meeting service in the Centennial Baptist church of this city (Nashville, Tenn.), Rev. W. C Cleveland, the pastor of that church, was united in marriage to Miss Estelle H. Hart. Rev. A. J. Ramsay officiating. I was deeply pained to be absent, but at that precise hour, in my own church, three miles away, I was engaged in a similar service for a happy young couple. The auditorium was handsomely decorated with the richest floral designs and filled with a happy company of friends as the young couple marched to the altar. Bro. Ramsay was at his best, and the groom was so happy and the bride so handsome as to almost precipitate a matrimonial epidemic with Bro. R in the lead. The company adjourned to the charming home of the bride, where there was a "flow of reason and a feast of soul" to the small hours of the morning.

"I want to tell the people of Springfield of the excellent work of Bro. Cleveland in this city. He is a growing man. I mean not only that he grows, but that he grows in the esteem and confidence of the people day by day. That is his history; it is his prophecy. He stands as strongly entrenched in the hearts of his people as any pastor in Nashville; his work is constantly widening and deepening; his influence is pervasive and increasingly penetrative. The church has just concluded a fruitful revival with some thirty-five additions, and the outlook is very hopeful. One of the best things Mr. Cleveland has done since his arrival here is to win the hand of Miss Hart, and this leads me to speak of the bride. She is a handsome brunette, with noble brow and eyes, say five feet seven inches in height, and a trim, neat figure. The advantages of foreign travel, a liberal college education, the privileges of wealth and excellent social position, above all a fervent, solid piety and royal, good common sense, all combine to make her a lady of excellent grace and character. She is a Baptist and a practical worker in the realm of salutary Christian charity. May God bless them both.

J. O. RUST.

Nashville, Tenn., June 12, '96.

A Cable Car Comedy.

A laboring man, carrying in one hand a lot of tools, boarded with unsteady steps a down town cable car at Fiftyseventh street a few evenings ago. It was about 7 o'clock, and the car was comfortably full. There were a few working girls returning home among the passengers, and the man sank into a vacant place between two of them. He deported himself in a perfectly orderly way until the conductor entered and demanded his fare.

The laboring man held out a nickel, but before it reached the conductor the coin fell from his hand and went rattling down between the slats in the floor. The conductor was angry and made a gruff remark. The laboring man gazed blankly at the floor while the conductor leaned over and endeavored to fish the lost coin from between the slats. This was too much for his fat fingers, so he borrowed a cane. This, too, proved of no avail. the conductor vented his anger on the working man, who thereupon suddenly reached his hand around to his hip pocket and drew there from an object that gleamed brightly in the lamplight.

"Take that, you fool," he cried presenting the gleaming article at the conductor's head.

The startled conductor thought he saw his last day at hand and loaped backward to the door. The working girls, all they had read of recent murders, hold ups and burglaries vivid in, screamed, held up their hands and closed their eyes in expectation of a sharp report and its awful sequel.

With great presence of mind a young man sprang from his seat, seized the outstretched arm of the laboring man and forced it upward so that the gleaming object pointed toward toward the roof.

Then with a quick movement he disarmed the man. But instead of a revolver he held in his hand a pair of pinchers.

Their owner had intended that they should be used to get the coin from between the slats.—New York Sun.

··WITH OUR FARMERS··

Notices stock, seed or grain, wanted or for sale or exchange inserted in this column FREE OF CHARGE. Farmers are requested to send in stock or crop items for publication.

Congressman Owens has introduced a bill in the House providing for a cavalry post for Lexington, and its passage is a possibility. A post would be of great advantage to our farmers and breeders.

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Harvey Chenault, Jr., has erected one of his patented fly catchers for brushing the flies from cattle. The animal goes into an enclosure that has a sort of cupola. A cane screen scares the flies and they rise into the cupola. The animal goes out through a dark passage entirely rid of the pests.—Richmond Climax.

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The following late word comes from Butler county, southeastern Kansas: "J. W. Robinson, of this county, the 'corn king' of Kansas, has put in 3,000 acres of corn this season, all of which promises an abundant yield. Most of it has been cultivated twice. Mr. Robinson is cutting a 200-acre field of alfalfa which will run two tons to the acre and from which two—possibly three—more cuttings will be taken."

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The farmer who has an eye to the comfort and health of the cattle and hogs this fall, will not forget to secure some good pumpkin seed and plant them his own way, either by putting the seed in the planter, or by planting it after the corn comes up, in the old fashioned way. The pumpkin crop is a catch crop pure and simple, costs nothing but the seed, and is a very valuable help along in November or the last week in October. Many hogs that were supposed to have cholera, after a good feed of pumpkins have recovered, not because there was any disease among them, but because they were out of condition.

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Forty thousand dollars is the sum of money that horsemen will be permitted to contest for at Louisville September 28 to October 3, if they got their entries in on time. Great racing over the splendid new track—one of the best and safest in America—will be the order. Every accommodation to be asked for by horses and horsemen will be provided. Ten great stakes of $800 to $1,000 will be raced for, together with ten classes of a like value to be announced later, which will make Louisville's one of the best programmes offered this year. The entries closed Monday, June 15. Louisville's races will be under the National Association rules.

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Nearly every prominent sale of trotting-bred horses teaches the folly of mixing up different classes of light harness horses in one consignment. The day will come when no one will think of sending brood mares to a sale which will include a long list of speedy performers. All close observers have noticed how little demand there is for brood mares and young undeveloped colts and fillies at a sale in which a goodly list of fast record-holders have been advertised. The fast ones are usually sold first, and, after they have been disposed of the few bidders that remain during the balance of the sale buy brood mares and undeveloped youngsters at sacrifice prices. This is an age of specialties, and in the future sales of speed horses, road-horses, brood mares and undeveloped youngsters will doubtless be held separately as a means of preventing the sacrifice that is sure to follow the consignment of a mixed lot to one sale.—Ex.

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TOBACCO MARKET.—The New Enterprise Tobacco Warehouse Company, Louisville, writes: The receipts during the present week were the largest we have had since March amounting to 3,825 hogsheads, and the offerings were 3,647 hogsheads, of which 2,601 were Burley and 1,046 Dark. Quotations remain the same as they were last week, with the exception that colory lugs are slightly higher and colory trashes a little lower. Most of the tobacco now being offered is in good order, but we still notice that some tobaccos which have been received in the last few days are in very soft condition, which, of course, causes them to sell below market quotations. We would again caution all parties to be exceedingly careful to prize their tobacco in only very dry order; as we know that they will get better returns by so doing. On Dark tobaccos there has been absolutely no change, the market remaining about the same. As we said before, we see nothing in the situation at the present time to warrant any advances on either Burley or dark tobacco, and it is our opinion that it is best to prize and ship now.

Some people are constantly troubled with pimples and boils, especially about the face and neck. The best remedy is a thorough course of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which expels all humors through the proper channels, and so makes the skin become soft, healthy and fair.

For Congress.

[Lebanon Enterprise.]

Elsewhere in this issue we publish a card from a number of voters of this district urging Mr. W. H. Sweeney, of Washington, to become a candidate for Congress. Like Barkis, Mr. Sweeney is "willin" and it may be safely presumed that he will offer as a candidate.

The people of the Fourth District have already emphatically expressed themselves to the effect that none but free silver advocates need apply for favors at their hands, and as a consequence such timber as is contained in the ranks of the sound money men is eliminated from the question. There would seem to be, however, so far as quantity is concerned, quite a sufficiency of aspirants among the free silver men.

Mr. Sweeney has the advantage of location, residing in the same county as the present Republican incumbent, and having a good following in that part of the district where Mr. Lewis' principal strength lies. He is a good speaker, and if sent to Congress he would be heard from.

Dave Smith, of Larue, is one of the many spoken of as an available candidate. He has some strength in Larue and Hardin, and probably in some of the lower counties. In fact, by many he is thought to be the best able to cope with Mr. Lewis of all the candidates mentioned. In this part of the district, however, Mr. Smith would come up very much in the rear. Breath it Saufly—but our people have a stuffed club ready with which to smite David amidships.

Harvey Harold Smith, of Hardin is hearkening to that same old congressional bee which has been buzzing about his low-cut Vine Grove bonnet for lo, these many years. Brush it, away, Harvey, old boy, for though its hum may charm thy savage breast, it stingeth worse than the bite of a gold bug.

Following this noble pair of Smith (who was it who said "damn all the Smiths?") comes David R. Murray, of Breckinridge. The trouble with most of of the candidates is that they are too well known. The point of this remark is in application thereof; and the reader may apply it to Mr. Murray any way he pleases. Nevertheless David, we fear you are not going to get a job fighting Goliath Lewis—not this fall.

Nelson county is not backward when it comes to producing favorite sons, and just now she seems to have an over-supply. Both John and George Fulton, and Mr. John S. Kelley are said to be prospective candidates. Mr. Kelley has always been handicapped by opposition in his own home. Either of the Fultons would make a good race, and they are men who would be a credit to the district. We presume that if either of them runs, George will be the man; as John has the misfortune of being one of "Carlisle's minions," as they are called, and even the splendid work he has done for silver will not compensate for this terrible crime.

There are some other good men mentioned, but about the only thing we have heard advanced in their behalf is that they are good men; and we very much fear that even this claim will be knocked into smithereens when they run for office.

But amid this mad scramble at the ratio of 16 men to one office, there looms up the massive figure of our friend and fellow county man, Chas. F. Putnam—the original, genuine, dyed in the wool and blown in the bottle free silver champion of this subject. Mr. Putnam has been an enthusiast on this subject for years, and went about this country preaching the doctrine of free silver when there was little heard on the subject. He is not one of the latter day converts who have just jumped aboard the band wagon; and we beleive he should have the job of driving the district band wagon, if he wants it. Mr. Putnam is as modest as he is honest, and he has never expressed a desire to acquire office, but his friends are going to see to it that he is heard from in this race.

In cases where dandruff, scalp diseases, falling and grayness of the hair appear, do not neglect them, but apply a proper remedy and tonic like Hall's Hair Renewer.

At Tatham Springs.

To the Editor of the Sentinel:

We arrived at the hotel this morning after a pleasant ride from Bloomfield of less than two and half hours. The country is picturesque and some of the views from the road are more than romantic.

To my surprise we found an attractive hotel, beautifully located, with every condition of comfort. A shaded location, wide galleries, tasteful tables and well-prepared food. No one can reasonably complain of the provision made for the guests. Mrs. Wornall, a Bourbon lady, is in charge of everything and knows what she is about. It is a rare and beautiful thing to find one who understands his business and does it easily and gracefully. A goodly company present, among whom are several Shelbyville people, with Mr. G. A. Armstrong, Sr., at the head. He takes charge of matters about as he does at home. He informed the porter that our trunk was to go to number 26. Mr. Rufus Frazier and wife, Mr. Wm. Harbison, and Mr. Drane with a company of ladies from Eminence and vicinity have made us feel at home.

The guests now are mostly, if not all of them invalids. With the exception of Mr. Armstrong I am the "wellest" looking person in the house. But every one is cheerful and thinks he has found the fountain of Bethesda. Whether the angel stirs this water or not the stories of wonderful cures are not a few. Many good wishes and not a few prayers are following this company. May they all be answered in restoring health and long years of useful ness. "Nevertheless not my will be done."—W. T.P. in Shelby Sentinel.

A Texas Ranger's Bat Story.

L. T. Harper, an ex-Texas ranger, gives an interesting account of how he discovered the rear entrance to a bat cave on the Colorado river. "It was in the summer of 1876," he said. "I was sent by Major Jones to hunt up an outlaw who had escaped from the penitentiary guards. While feeding my horse before sunrise in a skirt of woods a mile from the river I saw bats, returning from their night skirmishing, entering a hole in the bough of a tree. The bats came in countless numbers and entered in regular order, as if each bat knew just when to arrive to take his turn to a second. For more than an hour they swarmed into the tree in numbers sufficient to have packed it full if it were hollow from the tip top to the ground. I know the habit of bats, that they sleep hanging by their hind feet, head down, in rows, and it made me wonder how so many could get lodging in a tree not particularly large. I mentioned it when I got to the town of Burnet, and it set one of the deputy sheriffs to thinking. He suggested to me to return. We cut down the tree and there was not a bat in it. Next we pushed a pole into the stump and found an opening going into fathomless depths. The young officer, whose name I have forgotten, lighted a piece of paper and dropped it into the hole, and at once we understood the situation. The tree grew in the ceiling of a cave, and its hollow trunk had been a tube through which the bats made their exit and entrance. It was two years afterward before the cave was explored."—Dallas News.

In Place of Tobacco.

Coltsfoot or the leaves of lettuce, being slightly narcotic, would form a harmless make believe for the good folk who persuade themselves that they could not sleep a wink were they deprived of their evening comfort. Ages ago both Greeks and Romans, according to Dioscorides and Pliny, found comfort in smoking through a reed or pipe the dried leaves of coltsfoot, which relieved them of old coughs and difficult breathing.

And as to lettuce, it has been famous since the time of Gelen (Claudius Galenus), who asserts that he found relief from sleeplessness by taking it at night.—Gentleman's Magazine.

The Odd Schreiners.

The Schreiner family are popularly regarded in South Africa as a family of geniuses. The father was a Dutch missionary. They had three sons and two daughters, and Mrs. Schreiner proudly boasts that "there is not a black sheep among them." One is in England, one is a leading member of the Cape government and the third son is a temperance lecturer and is considered one of the finest speakers in the country. Olive's sister, Mrs. Lewis, was also a temperance lecturer. She has married a widower with five children and has adopted four more, so that she has not much time for the platform now.—Philadelphia Press.

The Pocket in the Shroud.

The man has just passed my study window who is thinking of the pocket in his shroud. He is very old, over 80, and he is very rich. He is worth millions and still he is reaching out for more with a miser's selfish clutch. He has no children to inherit his great wealth, and he is uneasy sometimes when he thinks of death and of the distribution of his vast estate. He is sure there will be a pocket in his shroud, but he is mistaken. The rich man, Dives, thought so too, but he found out his mistake when it was too late. Think of the awful import of those words—too late!

This rich man never gave a dollar in his life to any public charity. He never helped a poor man. He was not his brother's keeper. His name has never been connected with any public charity. He has never helped to promote any scheme that did not promise to return him ten per cent. on the investment. He wanted to put money in the pocket in his shroud. He has poor relations, young boys and girls in the formative period of their lives, to whom a little help would be of great service, but he withholds it. There are numerous benefit enterprises for the welfare of mankind and the promotion of society that need money, but he cannot spare a dollar.

In a few months more he will be dead. After that what? "How much did he leave?" That will be the question. "Did he make any bequests?" Not one. There will be a funeral. The clergyman will not take his text from Luke—"And the rich man died also and was buried."

That chapter will not serve his purpose. Luke knew there was no pocket in the shroud!

Does Farming Pay.

The question "does farming pay?" has often been asked. Speaking from my individual experience I must say that I have never found farming profitable, but my experience may be peculiar and not suited as data from which to draw general conclusions on the matter. I have always done my farming among a set of neighbors whose motto seemed "never buy as long as you can borrow." Whereas my motto has been "never borrow as long as you can buy." Consequently my farm machinery and implements have been called upon to do far more duty for my neighbors than for myself. In this way one of the principal drains upon the profits of my farm has accrued, for while the income from my farm very well enabled me to purchase all the machinery and implements to carry on my own work profitably, it was hardly sufficient to enable me to furnish tools to perform the work of eight or ten neighboring farms.

Consequently I have been compelled to abandon my farm. As I made my departure, passing out by the front gate post that had somehow miraculously escaped being borrowed, I paused to scrawl the following bit of autobiography which those who occupy the farm after me may read and ponder in their own behoof:

"I found farming a failure.
How? I wanted to
be neighborly and was
damphool enough to be-
lieve that being neighborly
involved the lending of my
farming implements to my
neighbors when asked to
do so."

X. FARMER.

Printers' Language.

Many people are not aware that printers have a language of their own almost unintelligible to the uninitiated. The following gives an idea of printing office lingo: "Billy put George Washington on the galley and finish up that murder you commenced yesterday. Set up the ruins of Herculaneum and distribute the smallpox. Lock up Jeff Davis and slide Bob Ingersoll into the hell-box, and leave the pi alone until after dinner. Put the ladies' form to press and go to the devil and put him to work on Deacon Fogg's article on eternal punishment." Now this is simple enough when translated into English, and not near so rough as the reader may imagine.—Ex.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 18, 1896.

E. L. DAVISON, JR.

THE first step towards securing water works and electric lights—that of getting the appropriation from the town—has been taken, but there is more to be done before we can enjoy the benefits of the improvements. There is to be raised $4,500 by subscription to the stock, and a committee has started out with a list and will give every one a chance to take an interest in these public enterprises. Quite a number of citizens with commendable zeal have already signified their faith in the success of the enterprise by investing liberally in the stock of the company, but there is yet a large amount to be raised. We have citizens in Springfield who can well afford an investment of this kind, and as this is to be strictly a home enterprise we trust that there will be no necessity to go outside of our own town or county to get the stock taken. Conservative estimates have demonstrated that the institution will be self-sustaining if not a dividend earner from the start, and a subscription to the stock whereas it will be helping a public enterprise should not by any means be counted as a contribution. The chances are that if affairs are properly managed the stock will appreciate in value and prove a profitable investment to the holder. The amount must be made up and every citizen of the town will be called upon. Don't let the enterprise drag, but take a share and become personally interested as a stockholder in the Springfield Water and Electric Company.

ONE of the worst roasts we have seen on the recent Lexington convention comes from a free silver paper, the Henry County Local. It says:

"Let it be understood that while the Local is for the free coinage of silver at 16 to 1, and has made the best fight in its power for that principle, it is in most unmistakable terms heart, soul, mind and body against such lawless and degraded factions as are represented by Jim Williams, Jack Chinn and Eph Lillard. The one blot on the Lexington Convention was the encouragement given to these outlaws. We hung our head in shame and disappointment when we read that a body of Kentucky Democrats had indorsed such a disreputable character as Jim Williams. Some may tell us that Williams was a free silver man. We do not care a whit. We do not propose to support a bad man simply because he, for mercenary reasons, thinks as we do. Our hope is that the better judgment of the people will triumph, and that such characters will be forever denied any voice and vote in respectable gatherings."

GOV. BRADLEY, evidently laboring under the fear that in the mad whirl of political events and conventions that somebody would forget him, attempted a sensation by announcing several days ahead of time that he would spring something on McKinley that would completely annihilate that gentleman. After the public had held its breath a sufficient length of time Gov. William O. touched his little bomb, which proved only a fizzle and whose explosion amounted to nothing. The Governor is in St. Louis now and has that same above mentioned uneasiness with him, which is shown by the frequency with which he has himself withdrawn as a candidate for President and Vice President of the United States.

THE Republican National Convention is in session at St. Louis. Temporary Chairman Fairbanks made the opening speech, and the committees for the convention have been announced. The platform, it is said, is practically agreed upon. It will be gold standard. McKinley will be nominated on the first ballot, and then the Vice President, Levi P. Morton, is the latest tip on the latter place.

THE free silver craze in Kentucky has evidently missed the Republican delegation to the St. Louis convention. Chairman Deboe is quoted as saying that Kentucky's vote would not go to McKinley unless the McKinley men agree to the insertion of a straight declaration for gold in the platform.

A DISPATCH from St. Louis says that Gov. Bradley is said to be for anybody rather than H. Clay Evans for Vice President. He wants no Southern man to get the place if he cannot get it himself. Very naturally.

THE Courier-Journal likes the proposed gold standard platform of the St. Louis convention, and predicts that if the Democrats come out on a free silver basis that party will be everlastingly defeated.

LOUISIANA Democratic convention has adopted a 16 to 1 platform and instructed the delegates to vote for none but a silver man.

The Freak Gallery.

Bath County World: D. A. Banta brought to this office a duck ling with two bills, four wings and four feet, all of the superfluous members being fully developed. His little daughter, Nannie T., discovered the curiosity when she broke one of a nestful of eggs to see if they were hatching. The double duckling was alive and doubtless would have hatched. We have it preserved in alcohol.

Bowling Green Advocate: A beggar struck the town that had a hard luck story that was in every way out of the ordinary. He walked on crutches and and was a most pitiful sight to behold. His money-wanted racket was unique and turned him in not a few coins. He was a little man and said that he married a large woman about two years ago that treated him terribly and crushed his spirit of manhood entirely. One day in a fit of passion she threw a skillet at him, breaking his leg, which accounts for him using crutches. Every married man who heard his hard luck tale took pity on him and helped him.

Glasgow Republican: Mr. Earnest Owsley, of this place, relates a very remarkable story concerning a fish he brought from Washington a few weeks ago. The fish was at first and until ten days ago a beautiful golden color, when it unexpectedly turned to a silver color. Mr Owsley has very appropriately named the fish Charlie Bronston.

Mayfield Mirror: The Sedalia vicinity is somewhat excited over a domestic trouble there. The wife of Sam Hobson left him a few days ago and went to her father, Madison Riley, where she will probably remain. The trouble between them was precipitated by Sam refusing to stop his farm work, which by the way is very pressing, and take her on a visit to her parents.

About a Poem.

She glided into the office and quietly approached the editor's desk. "I have written a poem," she began. "Well!" exclaimed the editor, with a look and tone intended to annihilate; but she calmly resumed—"I have written a poem on 'My Father's Barn,' and ——" "O," interrupted the editor with an extraordinary suavity, "you don't know how I am relieved. A poem written on your father's barn oh? I was afraid it was written on paper, and that you wanted me to publish it. If I should ever happen to drive past your father's barn I'll stop and read the poem."—Public Opinion.

We have a few numbers of the Illustrated News-Leader left, and will dispose of them at reduced rates.

A TIGER HUNT IN INDIA.

Fate of a Guide Who Did a Foolhardy Thing In the Jungle.

In Outing Dr. J. H. Porter describes his Indian guide, who showed him a tiger's lair, as a lean, black, wolflike man whose name was Sikunder Singh, who was a monomaniac about tigers.

There are said to be stylish tigers and others not stylish. The lordly tiger is the man eater. He is at once the hero and the aristocrat of the race, and where he roams the cattle killer must be silent, for the man eater, though sprung from the lowly ranks of wild beast hunters and risen through the middle class of cattle killers, brooks not the boasting in the roar of an inferior. It is in the absence of cattle during droughts that the cattle killer turns to man flesh. He fears men, but will not become animal hunter again. The pride of the race is against it.

When the tiger has killed a steer and fed thereon, he goes to where the karinda grows thick and lies in the nullah, lazy with the meat in him and sleeping lightly. It is here, as he takes his nap, that the hunters find him. It is the hunter's desire to have his tiger fight, to turn and charge the ones who seek his handsome pelt, but Dr. Porter's tiger knew better. "Stripes" bolted, and, with cool judgment, sneaked from place to place, like a still hunter, aided by a coat which in the jungles is protectively colored, and away he went up the gully, galloping like a horse, his soft paws making no sound. A stifling cloud of dust arose from the brittle grass, raised by the trampling elephants. The deadly Indian sun beat down and turned the landscape black in the eyes of some of the less hardy ones.

In the shade, which was soon reached, a troop of monkeys shoved the way. A tiger can hide anywhere, and in heavy cover one must look, as for a needle in a haystack, far and near. The tiger was found at last in the jungle's edge. A shot aimed at the beast hit it in the side, far back, a wound that made the beast a dangerous one. There was a pretty how do do. The tiger would kill if it got a chance, and the beaters went into trees. Sikunder Singh got off the elephant and started after the tiger afoot, angry at what he called the depravity of the men. Of all things a hunter can do, hunting a wounded tiger on foot is the most reckless. To enter the man afoot is utterly at the lurking beast's mercy. Sikunder Singh was out of sight. Suddenly there was a long, fierce snarl in the bush and a rustle of a heavy body, then across a long quivering cry of mortal agony. All knew what it meant. The elephants were goaded forward, and wild yells and frantic screams arose from all sides, the elephants joining in the pandemonium.

In a little opening was Sikunder Singh in the mouth of the tiger, his thin arms and legs tossing as the tiger drew back. No one would shoot through the human shield into the tiger. But on the left a man got a flank shot. Dropping the man, the tiger sprang at an elephant's face, tearing it down by the head. The hunters came together about the two, and a bullet broke the tiger's neck. The tiger weighed 460 pounds.

The huntsman, who would have been the first to denounce so foolhardy an act as his own, never spoke coherently again. His spine was crushed.

"Home, Sweet Home."

Probably no one would have been more surprised than Sir Henry Bishop himself could he have foreseen that a single melody in one of his numerous operas would achieve such celebrity that at the present day, more than 70 years after it was first heard in London, it is still sung by leading prima donnas at fashionable concerts, jangled on street organs and loved by a vast public that knows nothing of music, properly so called, as the purest representation of the English spirit—"Home, Sweet Home." "Clari, the Maid of Milan," the opera in which this favorite song occurred, has long been consigned to the limbo of forgotten musical works, but "Home, Sweet Home" survives with undiminished popularity and is likely to survive when many more pretentious compositions have followed. "The Maid of Milan" into oblivion.—Cornhill Magazine.

Sixteen Miles Underground.

The most remarkable canal in the world is the one between Worsley and St. Helens, in the north of England.

It is 16 miles long and underground from end to end. In Lancashire the coal mines are very extensive, half the county being undermined.

Many years ago the managers of the Duke of Bridgeport's estates thought they could save money by transporting the coal underground instead of on the surface; therefore the canal was constructed and the mines connected and drained at the same time.—Pearson's Weekly.

The pelican's pouch is its game bag. It stores the fish in the pouch, and, when it has captured enough, goes to land and devours them at its leisure.

The art of putting well into play mediocre qualities often begets more reputation than true merit achieves. —Rochefoucauld.

Chinese tea packers are content with $1 a week.

HER MOTHER'S WORDS.

Being a Well Trained Girl, the Bride Faithfully Remembered Them.

The wedding had passed off with great eclat. The breakfast was an ideal one—the bride's toilet enviable, the presents handsome and few duplicates. No hitches had occurred. The ring was ready. The bridegroom composed. The ceremony was well rehearsed. As for the bride, she was, as all of her feminine friends with great originality expressed it, "simply lovely."

When the bride left to change her bridal attire for a very fetching traveling costume, her father called the young bridegroom aside, and, with tears in his eyes prosed into the hand of the astonished young man a check for $10,000.

Then while a concealed orchestra discoursed the noble music of "Lohengrin" the friends gathered at the door with old slippers and new rice to give the happy pair a send off.

After the usual wait of unexpected length the radiant bride appeared and slowly descended the stairs, but ere the expectant young husband could seize her with eager hands he was gently but firmly put aside by the mother, who took her daughter apart for a few last loving words.

The guests all drew away. Father and bridegroom went into the parlor. Not for them to intrude upon that sacred interview, the purport of which might have much to do with shaping the girl wife's whole future. It was soon over and the last parting kiss exchanged, and the bridal couple were off.

Did the young bride heed her mother's parting words? Did she lay them to her heart? Being a well trained girl, it is to be supposed she did. These were the words:

"Marian, when you sit down, be sure to remember to pull your organ plaits to one side, or that skirt won't be fit to be seen by the time you get back!"—New York World.

Volunteers a Correction.

"You advertise in the papers this morning," said the pale, studious looking caller, "for a cook, if I mistake not?"

"Yes, sir," answered one of the proprietors of the first class restaurant. "Have you any recommends?"—

"And if I remember rightly you say, 'Must be a master of the art. Salary no object to the right man.' Do I quote you correctly?"

"Yes. What references can you give?"

"None at all, sir. I need no references."

"Oh, you don't need any! How many years' experience have you had as a professional cook?"

"I have had no experience whatever as a cook, sir, professional or otherwise. I have merely called in to observe that when you say 'salary is no object to the right man' you convey a wrong impression and fail, perhaps, to express your exact meaning. If you secure the right man, you will find that the salary is his sole object. That is all, sir. Let us be accurate, if we don't catch a single clam. Good day!"—Chicago Tribune.

Suspense.

"Oh, the suspense of the book is something awful, but all ends well, of course."

"Yes?"

"Yes, you see the heroine is actually about to be married. She is even at the altar. It seems as if nothing can save her, when she is suddenly struck by lightning. Relief? Well, I should say so. Why, you almost feel as if you were she."—Detroit Tribune.

Promising Boy.

"Surely you don't mean to say, Tommy," said the teacher, "that the letter 'j' has a different sound when it is a capital?"

"Yes'm," replied Tommy.

"I should like to have you give me an example."

"Well, it has a short sound in Job and a long sound in Job."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Vain Regret.

Weary Waggles—An ter t'ink we skipped dat free concert las' night!

Dusty Rhodes—Wy?

Weary Waggles—Dis here paper says de music was intoxicatin.—New York Press.

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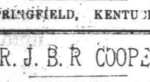

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At the teachers' examination held for this county G. E. Ballard, I. C. Thompson and C. R. Cross were given certificates to teach.

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That delightful fad which has struck the town with so much force, All-Day Suckers, is still the go. A car-load just arrived at Joseph A. Shader's.

The colored folks will give an excursion from this place to Elizabethtown and return on next Sunday. Round trip one dollar. A big crowd is expected.

There will be sacramental services at the M. E. church on the third Sabbath of the present month. Also services at 11 o'clock Saturday morning, June 20, 1896.

Ben Brown, colored, was tried in police court yesterday for striking a negro girl. The jury failed to agree as to the degree of Ben's guilt and another trial will be had.

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Rev. J. L. Edrington, of Lebanon, formerly of this place, will preach at the M. E. church Sunday night next. He will also baptize the infant child of Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Murrell.

On last Sunday afternoon the stock barn of Mr. W. T. Fowler, five miles northwest of here, was totally destroyed by fire. The property was partially covered by insurance. Mr. Fowler and family were away from home at the time.

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PERSONAL.

—W. H. Sweeney is in Greensburg this week.

—Miss Fannie Simms is visiting at St. Mary's.

—Mr. Emmett McElroy is home from college.

—Miss Willie Knott is visiting relatives at Bardstown.

—Mr. Chas. Baldick, of Lebanon, was in town Tuesday.

—Misses Sallie McElroy and Louise Saunders have gone to Danville for a visit.

—Mrs. Joseph Claybrooke, of Louisville, is here for a visit to friends and relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. John W. Lewis and daughter came in Friday last from Washington.

—Misses Jennie Craycroft and Annie McChord are spending the week at Tatham Springs.

—Mrs. G. D. Robertson and daughter, Miss Mattie, left Tuesday morning for Lowell, Mass.

—W. D. Claybrooke, who has been attending law school at Center College, has returned home.

—Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cunningham and daughter, Miss Annie, have returned from a visit to relatives at Cynthiana.

Great Excitement.

Considerable excitement was created in the neighborhood of the railroad station the other day by the action of a stranger who had just come in on the noon train. It seems that the gentleman was from the North and was on his first visit to the South and to Kentucky, and that on his way here some funny man had taken advantage of our friend's credulity and had filled his mind with wonderful stories of the Kentucklian and his gun. The young stranger from the North in consequence was in such a frame of mind when he reached here that he was prepared at any moment for a fight or a foot race. Imagine his terror when on stepping from the train to hear what sounded like the popping of a half dozen pistols in the direction of J. Walter Brown's planing mill, which stands directly across from the station. The stranger was stampeded and came up town at a 2:18 gait to seek a place of safety from what he thought to be a shower of bullets. He was hunted up, however, later on by Mr. Brown, who persuaded him to visit the mill, and when there explained the cause of the commotion. The noise was made by Mr. Brown's new gasoline engine which is used in running the saws and planers. The stranger became interested in examining one of the neatest and most complete little planing mills in the country. He saw sawed all kinds of lumber, brackets, wood ornaments and everything used in building. Mr. Brown also keeps on hand sashes, doors and can turn out almost anything you call for in wood work. The people of Springfield will find him as the stranger did, a good man to deal with.

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Representatives of the 140,000 Sabbath schools of North America will gather at Boston on June 23 to attend the eighth international Sunday school convention. There will be 2,000 regularly appointed delegates present, but they will be accompanied by so many friends and others interested in the work that the Hub will find itself called upon to entertain fully 10,000 persons.

These delegates represent Sunday schools scattered all over the United States and the British provinces, with an aggregate membership of 10,000,000 scholars and teachers. Big round numbers these are. But that is what these delegates talk about. You would learn, should you attend the convention, that the figures given are compiled from actual statistics which are gathered

B. F. JACOBS.

through the perfectly organized machinery of the International Sunday School association. You would learn, too, that they not only know just how many children in the country attend Sabbath school, but how many children do not and you would hear plans discussed for bringing in these outsiders. It is not stated whether these statistics are made up along about Christmas time or during the picnic season, when the Sunday school tide is at its highest, or during normal periods, but it is probable that the figures are conservative.

Besides the international convention, which is a triennial gathering, this is also the thirtieth annual national convention. The general objects of the convention are to improve and enlarge the field of Sunday school work. The great ambition of the delegates is to hit upon some plan for gathering in the millions of children who for various reasons do not attend Sunday schools. The organization is wholly interdenominational, and Baptists, Methodists and Presbyterians, as well as members of other churches, work in harmony together. The question of creeds is never brought up, and so there are no clashes arising from this source.

One of the most interesting features of this association is the thoroughness with which it is organized. It is a great machine, exerting its power and influence in a most praiseworthy cause. The delegates come from every part of the continent. Pastors, teachers and officers of all Protestant evangelical Sunday schools are entitled to participate, but the official delegates are chosen by the state territorial and provincial conventions.

The international executive committee is composed of 60 members, one from each of the states, territories and provinces. The members are elected at the triennial conventions upon recommendation of the local annual conventions. They hold office for three years. During the interval between the international conventions the executive committee meets annually to direct the work. This committee also has a subdivision, known as the central committee, which meets as often as called together by the chairman.

The work is divided into two parts—the work of ingathering and the work of upbuilding or the increase and the improvement of the Sunday schools. This work is conducted by means of conventions and institutes, with two great auxiliaries, called "The Home Class Department" and the "House to House Visitation." What the work of these two divisions consists of is indicated by the titles they bear.

When the international convention convenes and gets down to business everything will be conducted according to

DWIGHT L. MOODY.

a prearranged plan. There will be no confusion and no changing of the programme. Reports will be presented from every part of the field and the needs of the Sunday school will be considered in a broad way. The details are discussed in the state conventions and the still finer minute in the county and district conventions. To these smaller conventions are sent qualified workers, either paid or voluntary, who bring to the remote or weaker Sunday schools a knowledge of the best methods of working. They expound plans for the systematic visits to every home in the district and show how home classes may be formed. It is the object of the general association to have this organization complete throughout the country and the question of how to obtain this is discussed at the triennial conventions by men of wide experience.

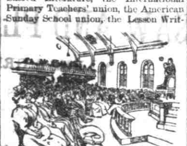
According to a recent report prepared by Chairman B. F. Jacobs of the executive committee, the work of organization is considered thorough in 13 states and provinces, good in 15 states and provinces and partial in 26 states, territories and provinces, while Alaska, Idaho and Nevada are unorganized. Salaried workers to the number of 48 are employed but many more are needed.

"It is a startling statement," says Mr. Jacobs, "but 1,000,000 of the colored children of this country are not in a school of any kind and one-half the children and youth of America do not attend Sunday school. To enable the executive committee to extend and improve its work we ask $25,000 annually in special contributions."

Another, and perhaps one of the most interesting features of the organization, is the international Sunday school lesson committee and its work. It is composed of 15 members, representing the larger denominations, who are elected for terms of six years each. A new committee will be chosen at the coming convention, which lends to it an unusual interest.

This committee meets annually and selects the Sunday school lessons which are studied every Sabbath by millions of scholars. For each week in the year they select a certain number of verses from the Bible, which form the basis of the lesson, and give to each selection an appropriate title. To this is appended a text from another part of the Bible, a pertinent passage, which is called the golden text. This material is first submitted to the whole committee and then given to the various publishers. When the lesson is printed in the various ways, it has a wide distribution. It reaches the Sunday school scholar in a variety of forms. It may be handed out by the teacher in the shape of a leaflet, or it may come as a supplement to a religious or secular weekly. The comments and explanations of the lesson are made by ministers employed by the different publishers to do the work. The lesson committee has arranged a course that will cover the Scriptures in six years.

It is estimated that fully 20,000,000 copies of the international Sunday school lesson are used each Sabbath in various parts of the world. Of course they must be selected to meet a variety of demands, and the committee try to make them generally acceptable. To this end they give a hearing, before making their selections, to the various organizations, such as the Institute of Sacred Literature, the International Primary Teachers' union, the American Sunday School union, the Lesson Writ-



INTERIOR VIEW OF TREMONT TEMPLE.

ers' and Publishers' union and to denominational societies. After the diverging views of these associations have been expressed the committee consider their recommendations and give them as much satisfaction as possible.

The sessions of the international convention will be held in the beautiful new Tremont temple, which was recently dedicated, and in the Park Street church. Two sessions will be held each day for three days. Dwight L. Moody, the evangelist, will have charge of the opening services, and will also speak for 20 minutes each noon at the Park Street church.

On the Sunday previous to the opening of the convention all the pastors throughout the state and many in New England are to preach sermons or deliver addresses containing the story of the origin and work of the convention and of the plans for Sunday school work in the future. It is an interesting story too. The first national convention was held 64 years ago in Chatham street chapel, New York. Only 220 delegates were present representing but 15 states in the Union. At the coming convention each one of the 45 states and all the territories will be represented. The Hon. Theodore Frelinghuysen of New Jersey was the first president.

The first international convention was held 42 years later, in May, 1875, at Baltimore. Rev. Dr. George A. Peltz, also of New Jersey, was chosen president. From these two starting points the movement has gone forward with increasing power and magnitude. The leading clergymen of all denominations have taken an interest in the work, and some of our most prominent public men have taught Bible classes in the Sunday school. Chairman B. F. Jacobs, who has been in the movement for many years, and whose services have been largely instrumental in its growth and prosperity, is a Chicago business man. He is an indefatigable worker, and has at his finger tips all the details of the big organization which he has helped to build.

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Wide Tires Compulsory.

The Bloomington (Ills.) city council has adopted an ordinance making it compulsory for teamsters to provide their wagons with wide tires, as the hauling of heavy loads on narrow tires damages the brick paving.

An Eveless Eden.

The little hamlet of Aliceton, Jefferson county, Wis., enjoys the distinction of being the only Wisconsin settlement of any size without a woman resident or inhabitant.

The village was platted a year ago, immediately settled and named after Alice Aspinwall Metcalf, daughter of J. A. Aspinwall, one of the very first settlers of the county. At present it has a "star route" mail service daily, a dry goods and grocery store, butter and cheese factory, blacksmith and repairing shop and a resident population of perhaps a hundred men It is known as "the town without a woman."—Chicago Tribune.

Rugs of Peat.

Irish peat rugs, which made their first appearance in London quite recently, are gaining approval in many quarters. Not only rugs, but dresses and men's suits can be made out of this peat, which is nothing more or less than Irish bog mixed with a little jute.

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WATERLOO.

Grouchy Was Solely to Blame For the Downfall of Napoleon.

Napoleon would have won the battle of Waterloo had Grouchy prevented the junction of the Prussians with the English army, because he would not have had to fight two battles at once. Few persons realize that the so called battle of Waterloo was in reality a double battle, somewhat like Jena and Auerstadt. Napoleon fought one battle at Waterloo against the English. On the arrival of the Prussians he was forced to go in person toward Planchenoit and there fight another battle against the Prussian army, leaving to Ney the conduct of the troops at Waterloo. It is a well known maxim in war that a very great or decisive victory cannot be gained unless one commander makes a serious blunder of which the other takes immediate advantage. It is very evident that the fact of the emperor having to fight two battles at once instead of concentrating his attention on one alone enormously increased the possibility of a mistake. Moreover, Napoleon did not have the able lieutenants of his former campaigns. Desaix, Kleber, Lannes and Bessieres were dead, Massena and Macdonald had taken the oath of allegiance to the Bourbons and Murat had split with the emperor. Napoleon's personal attention was therefore imperative. To Grouchy alone all blame must be attributed, for had he prevented the union of the Prussians with the English the emperor would have had to fight only one battle at a time and could have given his entire personal attention to that one battle.

In the second place, Napoleon would not have been forced to fight with 74,947 men against two armies numbering about 125,000 — nearly two to one against him. He would have had 71,947 good soldiers pitted against a raw, undisciplined army of 67,661 men under the Duke of Wellington, which was not only inferior in mere numbers, but far inferior in morale and experience. The chances would have been greatly in favor of the French. Then, too, the French army was commanded by the acknowledged master of modern warfare, whose brilliant successes at Rivoli, Marengo, Austerlitz, Jena, Friedland, Wagram, the Borodino and Dresden had dazzled the whole world. Until then Napoleon had never been defeated in any great decisive battle except Leipsic, and the French were strong in their confidence of the emperor's success. Two of the best writers on the Waterloo campaign—Shaw-Kennedy and Siborne, both Englishmen — concur in saying that had Grouchy kept the Prussians away the English army would have been badly beaten. This view is also held by the ablest writer of all, Mr. Ropes.—United Service Review.

"Fluffing."

"Fluffing" is the slang, or shall we rather say technical term (it sounds so much better), for a well known effect of the mechanical influence which very long runs sometimes have on actors and actresses in the repetition night after night of their roles. Here are two amusing examples of the kind: When Miss Fanny Coleman was exciting Londoners to mirth by her excellent comedy acting as the Duchess of Berwick in "Lady Windermere's Fan," she one night added unwittingly to the humor of her performance by the following transposition of words. In the first act the duchess, who is about to confide to Lady Windermere's married son a piece of scandal in which her daughter is too young to participate, ought to say: "Agatha, darling, go and sit on the balcony and look at the sunset. The dear child is so fond of sunsets!" Whereas Miss Coleman, with unctuous gravity, rolled out the words: "Agatha, darling, go and sit on the sunset and look at the balcony. The dear child is so fond of"— Of what, indeed? But as consciousness of the situation dawned upon the actress' face the audience broke into a tumult of good humored applause.

On another occasion, when Miss Marion Terry was giving an order to a stage footman, she gently but firmly commanded him, to the intense amusement of everybody on the stage, to "carry the tent into the buns!"—London Gentlewoman.

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There are nearly 16,000,000 children in schools in the United States, nearly 14,000,000 in public schools, nearly 400,000 teachers.

Christmas is respected by Mohammedan nations, though not observed. It is considered second in sanctity to the birthday of Mohammed.

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